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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re application of:

Examiner: D. Jiang

Martin OFT, et al.

Art Unit: 1646

Application No.: 10/797,157

Conf. No.: 4687

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For: USES OF IL-23 AGONISTS AND

ANTAGONISTS; RELATED

REAGENTS

Mail Stop AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant(s) respectfully request(s) the grant of a ONE (1) month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed August 2, 2006, in connection with the aboveidentified application, thus extending the time for response from November 2, 2006, to December 2, 2006.

The fee for extension is calculated to be:

X \$120.00 (for a one-month extension under 37 CFR §1.17(a)(1))

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the requisite fee to DNAX Deposit Account 04-1239. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to DNAX Deposit Account No. 04-1239.

Respectfully submitted,

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